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By ECF

Honorable Brian M. Cogan  
United States District Judge  
United States District Court  
Eastern District of New York  
225 Cadman Plaza East  
Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: *The City of New York et al. v. United States Postal Service et al.*  
No. 19-cv-5934 (BMC)

Dear Judge Cogan:

This Office represents the United States Postal Service and Louis DeJoy, in his official capacity as Postmaster General (collectively, "Postal Service" or "Defendants"), in the above-referenced action. This Office respectfully requests an eight-day extension of time from March 2, 2021 to March 10, 2021 for the Defendants to answer the Amended Complaint (Dkt. No. 18). To prepare Defendants' answer, this Office needs the additional time to review with multiple stakeholders the factual assertions set forth in the 57-page, 190-paragraph Amended Complaint, and to review documents and information from the Postal Service. This is the Defendants' first request for an extension of time to respond to the Amended Complaint, and Plaintiffs consent to this request.

Accordingly, this Office respectfully requests an extension of time until March 10, 2021 to answer the Amended Complaint. Thank you for Your Honor's consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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